

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

ANTHONY DAUNT,

Plaintiff,

v

No. 1:20-cv-00522

JOCELYN BENSON, in her official capacity as
Michigan Secretary of State, JONATHAN
BRATER, in his official capacity as Director of
the Michigan Bureau of Elections,

Defendants,

A. PHILIP RANDOLPH INSTITUTE –
DETROIT/DOWNRIVER; RISE, INC.,

Intervenor-Defendants,

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF
MICHIGAN; LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS
OF GRAND TRAVERSE AREA; LEAGUE OF
WOMEN VOTERS OF ANN ARBOR AREA;
LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF
LEELANAU COUNTY; LEAGUE OF WOMEN
VOTERS OF COPPER COUNTY and
LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF
OAKLAND AREA,

Intervenor-Defendants.

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The parties, by and through undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate to extend the deadline for Defendants Secretary Benson and Director Brater (State Defendants), and Intervenor-Defendants A. Philip Randolph Institute-Detroit/Downriver and RISE, Inc. (Rise and APRI Intervenor-Defendants), to file an answer to Plaintiff's amended complaint. In support thereof, the parties state as follows:

On September 30, 2020, Plaintiff filed an amended complaint (ECF No. 31), to which both the State Defendants and the Rise and APRI Intervenor-Defendants responded by filing a motion to dismiss pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1) and 12(b)(6). (ECF Nos. 34, 37-38.)

The Court denied both motions to dismiss on the record at a Rule 16 scheduling conference held on October 27, 2020. (ECF No. 44.) Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(a)(4)(A), an answer to the amended complaint is due fourteen (14) days after the Court rendered this decision, or in this situation, on November 10, 2020. The parties have agreed to extend this due date out ten (10) days, or until November 20, 2020.

WHEREFORE, the parties respectfully request that this Honorable Court enter the attached proposed stipulated order authorizing the State Defendants and the Rise and APRI Intervenor-Defendants to file an answer or other responsive pleading to Plaintiff's amended complaint on-or-before November 20, 2020.

IT IS SO STIPULATED:

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Having considered the parties' stipulation to extend the date for the State Defendants and the Rise and APRI Intervenor-Defendants to file an answer to Plaintiff's amended complaint, the Court states the following:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants Secretary Benson and Director Brater, and Intervenor-Defendants Rise, Inc. and A. Phillip Randolph Institute Detroit/ Downriver have through November 20, 2020, to file an answer or other responsive pleading to Plaintiff's amended complaint (ECF No. 31).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated:

HON. ROBERT J. JONKER
United States District Court Judge